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Magalie Roman Salas, Esq.
Secretary
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1919 M Street, N.W.,
Washington, DC 20554

Re: Deployment of Wireline Services Offering Advanced
Telecommunications Capability, CC Dkt. No. 98-147;

Notice of Oral and Written Ex Parte Presentation

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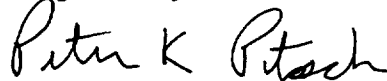
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Pursuant to Section 1.1206(b) of the Commission's Rules, an original and one copy of this letter are being submitted to the Secretary's Office and a copy is being provided to each of the above referenced FCC personnel. Please inform me if any questions should arise in connection with this filing.

Respectfully submitted,

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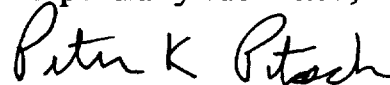
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